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TREASURY FOR DANIEL SCHMERIN
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SUBJECT: DEMARCHE RESPONSE: SURINAME WILL ABSTAIN ON THE
VOTE FOR KOSOVO WORLD BANK MEMBERSHIP

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1B. PARAMARIBO 140
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11. (SBU) As requested in Reftel A, Embassy Paramaribo
contacted Suriname's Central Bank, Finance Ministry, and
Foreign Ministry concerning Kosovo's candidacy for World Bank
membership. On June 3, Ambassador Lisa Bobbie Schreiber
Hughes learned from Foreign Ministry Acting Permanent
Secretary Ambassador Robby Ramlakhan that the Government of
Suriname would cast its vote to abstain on Kosovo's World
Bank membership.

SCHREIBER HUGHES